

## Message Text

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FOR EMBASSY CAPE TOWN

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PORG, SF, WA  
SUBJECT: NAMIBIA: PUBLICATION OF PROPOSAL

REF: USUN 510

1. FEBRUARY 20 ISSUE OF AFRICA NEWS, A WEEKLY DIGEST PUBLISHED IN NORTH CAROLINA, CONTAINS EXTENSIVE VERBATIM EXCERPTS FROM THE WESTERN FIVE PROPOSAL INCLUDING ALL OF THE PROPOSAL'S MAJOR SUBSTANTIVE ELEMENTS. PUBLICATION ALSO CONTAINS GENERALLY ACCURATE ANALYSIS OF OUTSTANDING ISSUES. WE WOULD GUESS THAT AFRICA NEWS OBTAINED ITS COPY OF THE PROPOSAL FROM THE SWAPO OFFICE IN NEW YORK; HOWEVER, CONFIDENTIAL

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EVER, GIVEN THE WIDE DISTRIBUTION WHICH THE PROPOSAL RECEIVED PRIOR TO THE PROXIMITY TALKS, THERE ARE PLENTY OF OTHER POSSIBLE SOURCES.

2. IN LIGHT OF THE PUBLICATION OF THE PROPOSAL, THERE SEEMS LITTLE POINT IN CONTACT GROUP'S FINALIZING A SUMMARY OF THE PROPOSAL FOR THE PRESS AS DISCUSSED REFTEL.

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